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**IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE**

Applicant: Peter C. Johnson

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For: Method And Information System For Non-Random Selection Of Uniform Structural And Functional Features For Tissue And Plant Product Processing

Commissioner for Patents  
Washington, D.C. 20231

**PETITION FOR FOUR MONTH EXTENSION OF TIME AND FEE TRANSMITTAL**

Sir:

Applicant hereby petitions the Commissioner pursuant to 37 C.F.R. § 1.136(a) to extend the time for response to the Notice To File Missing Parts dated May 23, 2000, having a two-month shortened statutory period for response expiring July 23, 2000, by four months to and including November 23, 2000.

A check in the amount of \$1,420 covering the fee for Four-Month Extension of Time (\$695) is enclosed herewith.

The Commissioner is hereby authorized to charge any deficiency in the enclosed amount or credit any overpayment to Deposit Account No. 18-0586.

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